GAPITAL'S TUNNEL ALMOST COMPLETED

Only Short Spur Track to Be Laid in East Sec-

tion.

TO BE EIGHTH WONDER

Last Spike Driven in the Western Section Only a Few Days

Within the next twenty days Washington's first important tunnel project, through which trains coming up from the South will carry their passengers to discharge them at the new Union Station, will be turned over by the con-tractors to the Pensylvania Railroad rapid has been the progress in building this great underground tube that the finishing touches were put on the west section more than three weeks ago, and the completion of the whole job is now merely a matter of laying a short spur of track in the east section.

Nothing short of a serious accident will mar this program, and thus the thousands of engineers and laymen, who have watched with keenest interest the tunnel grow into shape, first from a mere ditch to a dcuble-sectional tube, will see the project finished several months in advance of contract

First of Its Kind Here.

The tunnel itself is without doubt the most interesting piece of engineering ever undertaken in the District, largely ingtonians have never experienced the sensation of traveling beneath the surface of mother earth. For this reason it is likely to be regarded, until the newness wears off, as "the eighth wonde of the world."

The south end of the tunnel is at New Jersey avenue and Second street southeast, where northbound trains will soon make their entry into the Capital, while the north end is at First and C streets northeast, a distance of nearly a mile. One of the accompanying pictures, showing the advanced state of the tunnel, was taken at the south end, and the other is a flashlight show-ing an interior view of the west section of the tube at a point half way between the termini.

Last Spike Driven.

few days ago the last spike was driven in the track running through the west section, which will accommodate southbound trains. Now the work of laying the track in the east section, with some polishing and brushing up of the masonry, is all that remains to be done, and soon the novel sight of seeing a trainload of people avenue and Second street southeast as if the earth had indeed swallowed them up, to emerge again at the Union sta-tion, will become a common one.

The work has been done entirely by ntract, supervised by an engineer representing the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, the contractors being the New York Continental Jewell Filtra-

HOME SCHOOL MONEY

With the intention of erecting a new distribution of the children with the money received. George S. Wilson, secretary of the Board of Charities, will tomorrow urge the District Commissioners to effect through Con-Commissioners to effect through Congress the sale of seven acres of land used by the present industrial home school on Wisconsin avenue, to the Navy Department. Secretary Wilson will make this recommendation in connection with his annual estimates which he is now preparing for submission to the District Commissioners.

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Peyton also found a gold watch in the dirt.

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Department Commissioners.

Observatory. Last year the Commissioners received an offer of \$18,000 for the land. But before the deal can be consummated Congress is required to approve it. In case the proposition is agreed upon, the new industrial home school will be located, Secretary Wilson states, somewhere near the industrial home school for colored children and the new almshouse.

Another proposition that Secretary Wilson will probably urge is the erection of a new municipal hospital for the treatment of the chronic diseases of indigents. The present accommodations at the Washington Asylum Hospital, he says, are woefully lacking, and pricking the locks. The Commissioners to provide the cell doors to prevent anyone from reaching through the bars and righty a reaction of the commissioners to provide the cell doors around the locks. As Superintendent Colman explains it, "the plates are to be placed on the cell doors to prevent anyone from reaching through the bars and rights the locks." The Commissioners was a proposition to the construction of the law-keepers there. Now Captain Elliott thinks he has fathomed a way to turn the tables on his cell-breaking rival.

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pital, he says, are weefully lacking, and Superintendent Zinkhan finds it a difficult problem to care for the sick. Superintendent Zinkhan proposes that a wing be erected on the north side of the new workhouse with a large executive building in the center. Such a plan, according to Secretary Wilson, would take an appropriation of \$100,000.

SUPREME COURT JUSTICES LECTURE TO LAW STUDENTS

Mr. Justice Brewer began his course of lectures on "International Law," at the George Washington University, yesterday afternoon. Mr. Justice tice Harlan will deliver his first lecture on "Constitutional Law" in University
Hall, at 5.40 p. m. tomorrow. Justice
Harlan's lectures, which will continue
throughout the session on Mondays and
Fridays of each week, as well as those
of Justice Brewer, are open to all students of the university. The dean of
the department of law will be glad to
welcome the alumni and other friends
of the university at these lectures.

BROWNSON'S SQUADRON SAILS FROM PIRAEUS

Rear Admiral Brownson's star Ameri can armored cruiser squadron of war-ships, which left Newport a few days after the President's review of the Atafter the President's review of the Atlantic fleet, early in September, has now entered on the last stage of its journey through the Mediterranean. The squadron, which is composed of the West Virginia, Pennsylvania, Maryland, and Colorado, has left Piraeus for Port Said. Admiral Brownson is expected to reach Manila with his ships early in November, as the remainder of the voyagawill be made with little delay.

NEW SUBWAY UNDER CAPITOL HILL



INTERIOR VIEW OF UNDERGROUND PASSAGEWAY.

Offset to Handcuff King's

Skill.

Sarah A, Seek has been divorced from Edward Seek. The decree was signed by Justice Gould, presiding in Court No. 2.

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CAPT. FRANK M'INTYRE RETURNING FROM CUBA

Consults With Secretary Taft on Affairs Connected With Insular

Capt. Frank McIntyre, acting chief of the Bureau of Insular Affairs of the War Department, left Havana Monday for Washington. He boarded the trans-port Sumner, which landed the first American troops in Cuba yesterday, and is scheduled to arrive at Newport News point to take on another consignmen

Captain McIntyre went to Havana to consult with Secretary Taft concerning what part, if any, the insular bureau will take in the management of the Cuban affairs under the provisional government. The Secretary of War is said to favor the plan of bringing Cuban affairs under this bureau, as they were successfully handled in that manner during the administration of Major General Wood as military governor of the island. The result of the conference is not known, a cablegram from ence is not known, a cablegram from the conference is not known as a cablegram from the conference is not known as a cablegram from the conference is not known as a cablegram from the conference is not known as a cablegram from the conference is not known as a cablegram from the conference is not known as a cablegram from the conference is not known as a cablegram from the conference is not known as a cablegram from the conference is not known as a cablegram from the conference is not known as a cablegram from the conference is not known as a cablegram from the conference is not known as a cablegram from the conference is not known as a cablegram from the confer successfully handled in that manner

en route home.

Brigadier General Edwards, chief of the Insular Bureau, who has been at Fort Bayard. New Mexico, several months for the benefit of his health, has sent word that he will not return to Washington the first of November, as he had intended, but will remain two weeks longer. In order to effect a complete recovery before assuming his prezyy duties again.

Little, from Pittsburg, asking the Central Labor Union to indorse him as all right, politically. Little, it appeared, is a candidate for a political office of Pittsburg. Little was formerly prominent here in labor circles.

Arrangements were made for a series of lectures of interest to labor to be given by the International Lecture Association of Chicago under the supplies.

The ring was found Saturday CHURCH SOLDIERS' UNION HOLDS SOCIAL GATHERING pointed a committee to look after the

dredge in the Washington channel, and was surprised to find something bright was surprised to find something bright in the heap of mire brought up by the big iron scoop.

Mrs. Hipkins says that she accidentally depend on the soldiers' Union of the First Congregational Church, held last evening in

GEORGE U. MORRIS POST

ten and his staff made an annual in-pection of George U. Morris Post, G. A.

Northeast Association Adopts Resolution to That Effect.

Resolutions indorsing the Greater Washington "boom" movement, and in viting manufacturers to locate in th northeast part of the city, were adopte at a meeting of the Northeast Citizens' Association, in Northeast Temple, Twelfth and G streets last night.
"We heartily indorse the movement, and want a share of the benefits for

ourselves," is their shibboleth.

Another resolution, censuring the Board of Education for their unneces-sarily long wait in awarding back pay to the teachers and other defects in the system was passed. The paper also asserted that it seemed to be im-

possible for a stranger to assume the duties of School Superintendent Stuart without some friction. "As yet," said the resolution, "the situation is unsettled. The salaries are to be pald at once, and the school question looks better than it has for some time. Congress last session passed several bills that were recommeded by the members of this association. Much good

President Tucker, of the association, appointed a committee of ten men to cooperate with the Jobbers and Shippers'
Association and similar organizations in the work of passing measures to widen and deepen the Anacostia river. This
is to provide better when your landing. to provide better wharf and landing

Postmaster Barnes was congratulated on his appointment to the postmaster-ship and a petition asking him to restore the old system of three mail deliveries a day in the Northeast, was considered. Discussion on it brought on so much talk that action on it was deferred until a later meeting.

Officers for the year were elected as follows: President, Evan H. Tucker; secretary, S. Sowerbutts; financial secretary, Major W. G. Lang: treasurer, A. H. F. Holston, The election of a vice president and an executive committee was postponed until the next meeting.

CENTRAL LABOR UNION INDORSES W. R. HEARST

Resolution Calling Upon New York Workingmen to Cast Votes for Him Unanimously Adopted.

William Randolph Hearst's candidacy at its meeting last night in Typographical Temple. A resolution calling upon heir votes for him for governor was

In response to the appeal of the Amer-

Little, from Pittsburg, asking the Cen-

of the Central Labor Union. Messrs. Feeney, McClure, and Barrett were ap-

BRINGS LIBEL SUIT TO RECOVER \$15,000

Interesting talks were delivered by O.
H. Oldroyd and Miss Flora Johnson, and a report of the last year's work was read by Briszoo Gooding, secretary. Refreshments were served at the conclusion of the exercises.

Alexander Elliott, who does duty as a crossing policeman at the corner of Ninth street and Pennsylvania avenue, has begun suit in the local courts against Charles A. Langley, a local contractor, to recover \$15,000 as damages Alexander Elliott, who does duty as a tractor, to recover \$15,000 as damages for alleged libel.

GEORGE U. MORRIS POST

IN SATISFACTORY SHAPE

Department Commander B. P. Entri
Depar

Great Hagerstown Fair, October 9-12. R. hast night, at the pest's headquarters. Thirty-second and N streets. Department Inspector E. C. Dougherty and Arsistant Inspector Thomas H. Jenks, After inspection, declared the condition of the post's affairs encouraging.

Tickets sold for all Baltimore & Ohio trains, October 9 to 12, at rate \$2.80 for round trip, including admission. Special trains from Washington at 7:30 a, m., Wednesday and Thursday, 10th and 11th, returning leave Hagerstown 5:30 p. m.

Plumes, black or white; Prince of Wales style... Satin-finish shapes, \$1.69 The proper hats for plume trimming .

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fall. Before it was known that

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this season, we placed a large

order-and got advantage of

the then low prices. Since

then prices have gone up.

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we'll not be able to buy again

to sell at these prices:

16-in. Plumes,)\$0

black or white; best

black, white and

B'ack taffeta silks at remarkable prices

75c goods at 49c yd.

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AND EVERY YARD WILL BE GUARANTEED FOR WEAR. The silks at 49c are 19 in wide, and those at 59c 22 in wide. They are firm and perfect in color. Nothing better even at regular prices may be had for lining purposes. (1st floor-Bargain Tables.)

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At 29c vard 27 in. wide Colored Habutai, in all wanted colors, including black, white, Ivory, and cream; worth 50c yard.

At 25c yard All Silk Atlantic Louising

At 39c yard

Gun Metal Fancies in a variety of neat striped and checked patterns; worth 59c yard. Also lot of Changeable Taffetas, particularly good for making petit-coats; worth 69c yard.

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King's 15c Cotton Batting, Monday 12c

3c, 4c, and 5c Safety

Six-cord Cotton, black, ing Cotton, regularly 5e; Pins, sale price 3 10c white or colors; regu- Monday 3 spools 10c 10c to 20c Dress Shields, light weight, double covered, all 5c sizes, Choice.......5c

15c Mercerized Silk Braid, black only, 5 yds. to piece. Sale 7c

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